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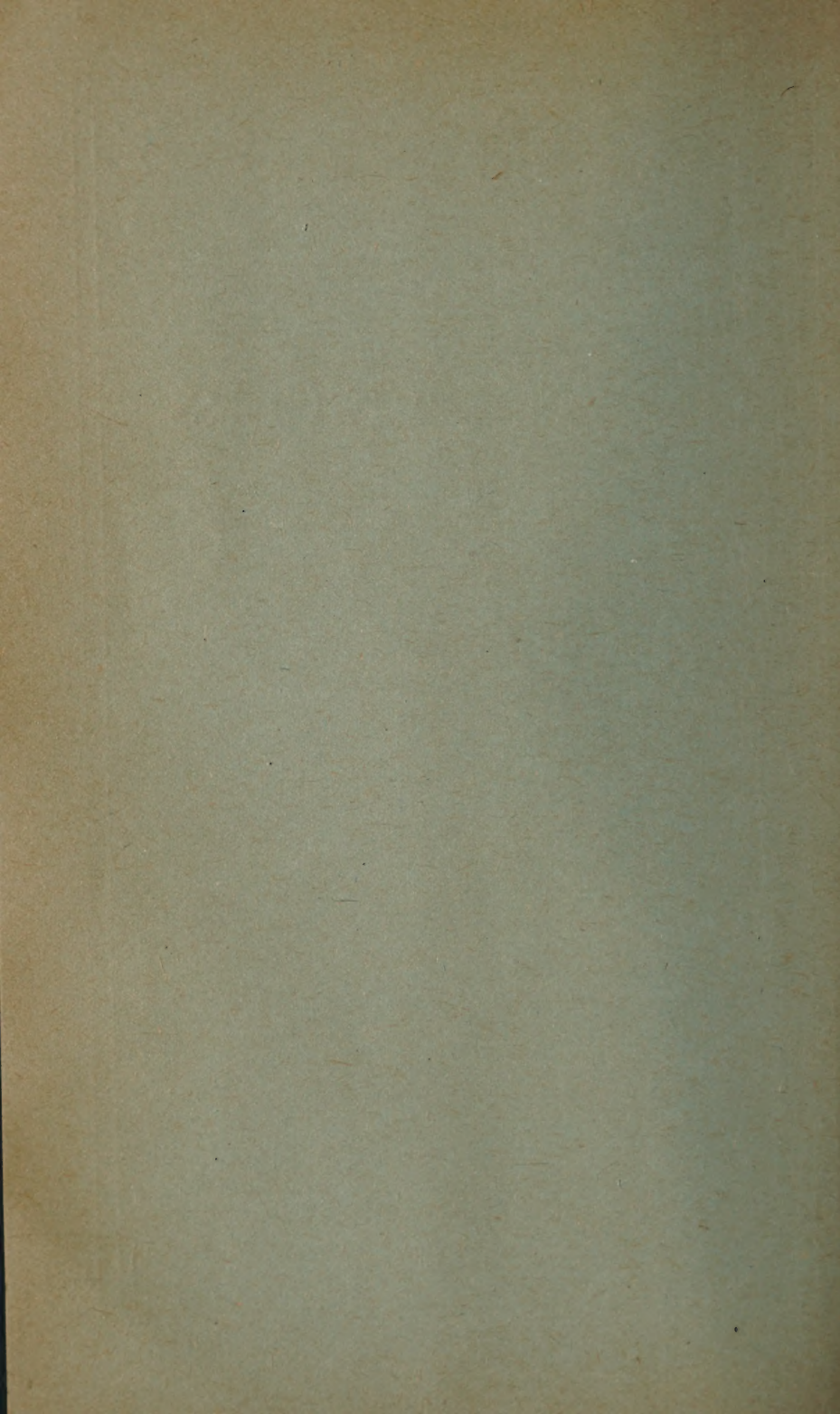
OF

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SELECTMEN'S REPORT,

For the year ending February 15, 1913.

The selectmen of Rindge have drawn on the town treasurer for the year ending February 15, 1913, allowing charges and demands against the town as follows:

SALARY OF TOWN OFFICERS.

Chas. F. Platts, 4½ days, from Feb. 15 to March 12, 1912,	\$9 00
Chas. F. Platts, 488 hours' service as selectman, at 30c,	146 40
Harris H. Rice, 2 days, from Feb. 15 to March 12, 1912,	4 00
Harris H. Rice, 282 hours' service as selectman,	84 60
Albert L. Hale, 5 days, from Feb. 15 to March 12, 1912,	10 00
Albert L. Hale, 375½ hours' service as selectman,	112 65
Warren W. Emory, service as town clerk,	40 00
Warren W. Emory, service as town treasurer,	40 00
Henry M. Woodward, supervisor of check list,	39 50
Edwin H. Sargent, service as constable,	16 70
Arthur E. Taggart, service as constable,	17 30
James Hamlin, service as constable,	3 00
Edwin H. Sargent, prosecuting agent,	9 30
Chas. W. Fletcher, moderator,	9 00
Herbert E. Wetherbee, tax collector,	85 00
Ralsamon D. Converse, auditor,	1 00
Walter B. Hart, auditor,	1 00
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	\$628 45

SUPPORT OF ROADS AND BRIDGES.

George C. Todd, road agent,	\$1,614 39
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SUPPORT OF SCHOOLS.

Chas. F. Platts, school treasurer,	\$3,643 71
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EXPENSES ON ACCOUNT STATE ROAD.

Expense on account state road,	\$2,200 00
Expense on account maintenance,	49 00
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	\$2,249 00

SUPPORT OF POOR.

Expense on account John Wood, county charge,	\$16 50
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STATE AND COUNTY TAXES.

W. W. Emory, state tax,	\$1,880 00
W. W. Emory, county tax,	1,780 20
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	\$3,660 20

FOREST FIRES.

Albert L. Hale, forest fire warden,	\$9 63
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BOARD OF HEALTH.

Dr. L. B. Hatch,	\$72 60
Arthur E. Taggart,	6 86
Ulric A. Converse,	2 00
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	\$81 46

TAXES.

H. E. Wetherbee, taxes abated,	\$5 12
H. E. Wetherbee, discount on taxes,	233 95
H. E. Wetherbee, over assessments,	16 26
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	\$255 33

PRINTING.

Sentinel Printing Co., Keene,	\$72 00
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MISCELLANEOUS.

A. L. Hale, hedgehogs,	\$50 00
O. E. Cain, retaining fee,	6 00
George J. Maxwell, gathering moth nests,	4 95
E. T. Barrett, special police, July 4, 1911,	2 00
Geo. C. Todd, gathering moth nests,	28 95
Caleb S. French, Memorial Day,	75 00
E. P. Baldwin, balance due on snow roller,	29 11
Ralph D. Converse, housing snow roller,	5 00
J. F. Burt, one pump and repairing old one,	13 28
L. G. W. Platts, services as assistant to the as- sessors,	41 78
W. W. Emory, town note and interest,	1,511 25
W. W. Emory, library appropriation,	300 00
W. W. Emory, interest on library fund,	50 00
G. C. Todd, repairing wall in pound,	23 60
G. C. Todd, paint and labor on snow roller,	14 15
G. C. Todd, mowing common,	6 00
H. C. Whitney, cutting grass in old cemetery,	15 00
U. B. & L. Co., lumber for snow roller shed,	14 18
A. L. Hale, lumber for snow roller shed,	37 59
A. P. Bateman & Son, hose,	1 15
E. C. Jewell, assisting the assessors,	6 30
A. L. Hale, labor on snow roller shed,	12 22

A. L. Hale, Fiske Farrar case,	\$69 00
Chas F. Platts, interest on Jones fund,	6 00
Eugene A. Fuller, oil, chimneys, etc.,	3 11
W. W. Emory, insurance on tablets,	3 00
W. C. Kenney, returning births,	2 25
H. W. Fletcher, kerosene oil, etc.,	1 07
W. H. Spalter, collector's books and blanks,	6 50
A. E. Taggart, care of 40 tramps,	24 00
G. C. Todd, labor on snow and ice,	16 08
E. H. Sargent, labor on clock and snow roller shed,	4 30
W. W. Emory, notifying jurors, \$3.00; collecting dog licenses, 3.00; recording births, marriages and deaths, 5.20,	11 20
W. W. Emory, blanks, postage and express,	3 86
W. W. Emory, service at primary,	5 00
G. C. Todd, one cord wood,	5 00
F. L. Barrett, 8 funerals,	48 00
Chas. F. Platts, bell rope,	3 00
Chas. F. Platts, expense on clock,	3 00
Chas. F. Platts, time and expense out of town,	9 75
Chas. F. Platts, care of town clock,	15 00
O. H. Wishman, assisting the assessors,	1 50
Chas. F. Platts, telephoning and stationery,	10 62
James R. Danforth, labor and material at tub,	6 61
James R. Danforth, 2 days, assisting the assessors,	4 00
James R. Danforth, drawing gravel from cemetery,	23 18
Herbert E. Wetherbee, collector's supplies,	7 20
H. W. Wellington, plank for watering tub,	3 68
L. B. Hatch, returning births and deaths,	3 00
A. L. Hale, telephoning and fare out of town,	3 95
Ralsamon D. Converse, ballot inspector,	4 80
George J. Maxwell, ballot inspector,	2 10
James S. Hamlin, gathering moth nests, 1912,	2 00
Henry C. Smith, gathering moth nests, 1913,	20 27
Ulric A. Converse, ballot inspector,	3 50

Harris H. Rice, expenses out of town,	\$4 81
Harris H. Rice, telephoning and postage stamps,	89
Ned Thrasher, ballot inspector, 1912,	7 60
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	\$2,596 34

RECAPITULATION.

Salary of town officers,	\$628 45
Support of roads and bridges,	1,614 39
Support of schools,	3,643 71
Expense on state road,	2,249 00
Support of poor,	16 50
State and county taxes,	3,660 20
Forest fires,	9 63
Board of health,	81 46
Printing,	72 00
Taxes abated,	5 12
Taxes discounted,	233 95
Over assessments,	16 26
Miscellaneous,	2,596 34
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	\$14,827 01

The collector, Herbert E. Wetherbee, has promptly paid into the town treasury all the taxes committed to him for collection.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES F. PLATTS,

HARRIS H. RICE,

ALBERT L. HALE,

Selectmen of Rindge.

Rindge, February 15, 1913.

We have examined the above report and find the same correctly cast and well vouched.

NED THRASHER,
WALTER B. HART,

Auditors.

Rindge, N. H., Feb. 15, 1913.

The selectmen recommend that the town raise the following sums for the ensuing year:

For current expenses,	\$2,000 00
Highways and bridges,	3,000 00
Ingalls Memorial library,	300 00

We also advise the town not to accept state aid on its highways this year.

REPORT OF TOWN TREASURER.

RECEIPTS.

In treasury, March 1, 1912,	\$619 61
Money borrowed, Monadnock Bank,	1,500 00
Seventy-six dog licenses,	172 80
Candidates for election,	11 00
W. W. Emory, gravel bank,	50 00
Geo. H. Ingraham, to be expended on Rindge common,	150 00
State treasurer, state highway money,	516 79
State treasurer, railroad tax,	155 39
State treasurer, savings bank tax,	601 78
State treasurer, literary fund,	76 84
State treasurer, proportion of school fund,	155 00
Two town histories sold,	8 00
Chas. F. Platts, hay from common,	5 00
Herbert E. Wetherbee, state, county, town, school and highway taxes,	11,573 12
H. E. Wetherbee, interest on taxes,	9 38
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	\$15,604 71

DISBURSEMENTS.

Paid 108 orders drawn by the selectmen,	\$14,827 01
Cash in treasury,	<hr/>
	\$777 70

Available for town expenses,	\$378 06
Available for schools, dog license fund,	172 80
Available for schools, literary fund,	76 84
Available for improvements on common,	150 00

Respectfully submitted,

WARREN W. EMORY,

Town treasurer.

Rindge, Feb. 22, 1913.

We have examined the above report and find it correctly cast.

NED THRASHER,

WALTER B. HART,

Auditors.

Rindge, N. H., Feb. 15, 1913.

REPORT OF ROAD AGENT.

George C. Todd, 46 days, 5 hours,	\$125 70
Fred Todd and team, 37 days, 8 hours,	170 50
M. Butterfield and team, 40 days,	180 00
Perley Jones, man and team, 39 days, 5 hours,	178 00
Harris Rice, man and team, 10 days,	45 00
A. J. Wellington, man and team, 22 days, 2 hours,	100 00
Tom, teamster, Finn, 37 days, 1 hour,	64 89
William, a Finn, 37 days, 4 hours, at \$2.00,	74 89
Victor Lindholm, a Finn, 40 days, 4 hours,	70 78
Victor Jonson, a Finn, 43 days, 5 hours,	76 22
John, a Finn, 43 days, 4 hours,	76 03
Jacob, a Finn, 32 days, 8 hours,	57 56
Robert, a Finn, 5 days, 5 hours,	9 70
Andrew, a Finn, 21 days, 6 hours,	37 81
George Maxwell, 23 days, 2 hours,	40 54
Edward Butterfield, 28 days, 5 hours,	49 98
Napoleon Butterfield, 7 days, 2 hours,	12 63
Earl Dunn, 22 days, 4 hours, at \$1.50,	33 66
Charles Burt, 7 days, 3 hours,	12 82
Edson Barrett, 5 days, 4 hours,	9 51
Charles Popple, 2 days, 8 hours,	5 02
George Maxwell, horse,	75
George C. Todd, horse, work on scraper 5 days, at \$1.25,	7 25
Charles Stearns, 6 days,	9 00
Clarence E. Towne,	1 50
H. W. Fletcher, 6 shovels, at 90c,	5 40

E. T. Barrett, building 3 split drags,	\$7 50
E. T. Barrett, repairing tools,	90
Wyman & Upton, repairing tools,	5 55
Leland & Brooks, dynamite, caps and fuse,	7 54
E. A. Fuller, 33 lbs. of spikes,	1 32
North East Metal Culvert Co.,	27 21
Good Roads Machine Co., one steel blade for road machine,	6 50
H. W. Fletcher, for spikes,	1 38
George C. Todd, 6 bridge stringers, 16 ft. long,	4 50
George C. Todd, bridge plank,	1 50
William Leamy, 162 loads of gravel, at 8c,	12 96
Robert Hughgill, 87 loads of gravel,	8 70
A. J. Wellington, 27 loads of gravel,	2 70
Sam Jones, 84 loads of gravel,	8 40
Parsonage, 59 loads of gravel,	5 90
Myron Knight, 31 loads of gravel,	3 10
L. F. Hale, bill for work,	5 97
W. A. Hale, 1154 ft. bridge plank, at \$20.00,	25 66
A. J. Wellington, 1098 ft. bridge plank, at \$20.00,	21 96
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	\$1,614 39

I have in my charge belonging to the town of Kinde:

3 split drags.	
1 Brown scraper.	
7 shovels.	
16 picks.	
3 rakes.	
3 snow rollers.	
2 road machines, one in good repair, excepting new steel edge,	\$6 50
The other one needs new steel edge, with some other new parts,	10 00

GEORGE C. TODD,
Road Agent.

We have examined the within report, and find it correctly cast.

NED THRASHER,
WALTER B. HART,
Auditors.

Rindge, N. H., Feb. 15, 1913.

REPORT OF BOARD OF HEALTH,

For Year Ending February 15, 1913.

Mar. 9.	Sending suspected glanders, and express,	\$1 25
May 18.	Testing for typhoid,	1 00
May 21.	Testing for typhoid,	1 50
May 26.	Telephoning and stamps,	20
June 6.	Testing water, and express,	1 45
June 7.	Work on measles,	50
June 23.	Disinfecting sewage,	1 25
June 27.	Trip to Keene, legal advise and expense,	3 10
June 28.	Placarding,	75
June 30.	Work on sewage,	75
July 7.	Work on sewage,	75
July 20.	Work on sewage,	1 00
Aug. 1.	Testing water for sewage,	1 50
Aug. 24.	Removal permit,	50
Aug. 25.	Fixing isolating camp, measles,	1 00
Sept. 2.	Burial permit,	50
Sept. 8.	Placarding,	75
Oct. 8.	Work on sewage,	75
Oct. 14.	Trip to Keene and expenses, legal advice,	3 10
Oct. 26.	Trip to Winchendon,	1 00
Paid to Wm. Jenkinson, for wife's services while in quarantine,		50 00
May 20.	Testing for typhoid,	50
May 21.	Sending water to Concord,	50
Express on recepticle for water,		40

Postage,	\$0 06
June 23. Investigating complaints made at camp ground about sewage, and drawing plans of locations,	1 50
July 20. At camp ground,	90
Aug. 25. Carrying out instructions of town council,	1 50
Aug. 10. Burying dead cow,	1 50
U. A. Converse, services on board,	2 00
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	\$81 46

L. B. HATCH,
A. E. TAGGART,
U. A. CONVERSE.
Board of Health.

We have examined above report and find it correctly
cast.

NED THRASHER,
WALTER B. HART,
Auditors.

Rindge, N. H., Feb. 15, 1913.

CEMETERIES.

REPORT OF THE OLD CEMETERY.

RECEIPTS.

Monadnock Savings Bank,	\$26 34
Cheshire County Savings Bank,	28 71
Keene Five Cent Savings Bank, final payment,	8 33
Winchendon Savings Bank,	50 00
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DISBURSEMENTS.

Balance due committee for 1911,	\$2 31
Addison Todd, labor,	5 20
George F. Parsons, labor,	1 45
Deposited in Winchendon Savings Bank,	8 33
Care of Addison Kimball lot,	2 00
Care of Joseph Wetherbee lot,	1 50
Care of Sarah S. Kimball lot,	2 00
Care of Ann Cutter White lot,	3 00
Care of D. P. Clark lot,	2 00
Care of Addie S. Robbins two lots,	3 00
Care of Edward P. Hunt lot,	1 00
Care of Joseph Rand lot,	3 50
Care of E. K. Burnham lot,	3 00
Care of Brown and Rugg lot,	2 00
Care of Brown lot,	1 00
Repairing stones,	1 00

Repairing gate,	\$0 50
Sarah Kimball bill,	42 00
Services of committee,	4 50
Cash on hand,	24 09
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	\$113 38

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES F. PLATTS,
FREDERICK L. BARRETT,
ADDISON TODD,
Cemetery Committee.

We have examined the above report and find the same correctly cast.

NED THRASHER,
WALTER B. HART,
Auditors.

Rindge, N. H., Feb. 15, 1913.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE FOR HILLSIDE CEMETERY.

RECEIPTS.

H. P. Hale, for one lot,	\$10 00
Mrs. E. I. Woodward, for one lot,	10 00
Gardner Robbins, for one lot,	8 00
S. Warren Kimball, for one lot,	8 00
L. M. Jewell, for one lot,	8 00
E. C. Jewell, for one lot,	8 00
George M. Harmon, for six loads of loam,	3 00
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	\$55 00

EXPENDITURES.

J. R. Danforth, work with team,	\$10 00
F. L. Barrett, work,	3 00
J. C. Carter, work,	1 65
Charles Burt, work,	3 50
Committee services,	4 50
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	\$22 65
Balance on hand,	\$32 35

TRUST FUNDS.

Heirs of Charles E. Stickney, deposit,	\$150 00
Unexpended balance,	13 64
Interest,	7 12
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	\$20 76
Expended care of lot,	4 50
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	\$16 26
Heirs of Charles Hale, deposit,	\$100 00
Unexpended balance,	6 78
Interest,	4 75
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	\$11 53
Expended care of lot,	3 50
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	\$8 03
Heirs of Thomas Buswell, deposit,	\$100 00
Unexpended balance,	5 79
Interest,	4 75
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	\$10 54
Expended care of lot,	3 00
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	\$7 54
Alfred C. Converse, deposit,	\$100 00

Unexpended balance,	\$4 06
Interest,	4 75
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	\$8 81
Expended care of lot,	3 50
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	\$5 31
Mrs. Susan Wellington, deposit,	50 00
Unexpended balance,	74
Interest,	2 38
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	\$3 12
Expended care of lot,	2 00
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	\$1 12
Estate Harriet M. Chadwick, deposit,	\$100 00
Unexpended balance,	6 97
Interest,	4 75
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	\$11 72
Expended care of lot,	20 00

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES F. PLATTS,
FREDERICK L. BARRETT,
JAMES R. DANFORTH,

Committee.

We have examined the above report and find the same correctly cast.

NED THRASHER,
WALTER B. HART,
Auditors.

Rindge, N. H., Feb. 15, 1913.

FINANCIAL REPORT OF SCHOOL BOARD.

TEACHERS' SALARIES.

School No. 3:

Alice Hayes, spring term, 13 weeks,	\$130 00
Nellie O'Hare, fall term, 12 weeks,	132 00
Nellie O'Hare, winter term, 10 weeks,	120 00
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	\$382 00

School No. 5, Primary:

Helen E. Perley, spring term, 13 weeks,	\$130 00
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School No. 5, Grammar:

Maud W. Frederick, spring term, 13 weeks,	\$130 00
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School No. 5:

Jean Howie, fall term, 4 weeks,	\$44 00
Herman H. Jones, fall term, 8 weeks,	120 00
Herman H. Jones, winter term, 10 weeks,	150 00
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	\$574 50

School No. 8:

Ethel C. Robinson, spring term, 13 weeks,	\$130 00
Bertha M. Wiggins, fall term, 8 weeks,	88 00
Beatrice A. Wellington, fall term, 1 day,	2 20
Beatrice A. Wellington, fall term, 12 weeks,	24 75
Faith Fullom, fall term, 3 4-5 weeks,	41 80
Beatrice A. Wellington, winter term, 1 week,	11 00

Beatrice A. Wellington, winter term, 9 weeks,	\$20 25
Frank J. McAuliffe, winter term, 9 weeks,	99 00

\$417 00

School No. 10:

Florence Locke, fall term, 11 weeks,	\$110 00
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Music teacher:

Amy B. Kneeland, spring term, 13 weeks,	\$65 00
A. Jean Brown, fall term, 12 weeks,	60 00
A. Jean Brown, winter term, 10 weeks,	50 00

\$175 00

Supervision:

F. C. Sweeney, district treasurer,	\$311 20
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JANITOR SERVICE.

Care of schoolrooms, No. 3,	\$14 70
Care of schoolrooms, No. 5,	17 00
Care of schoolroom, No. 8,	13 60

\$45 30

TRANSPORTATION OF PUPILS.

Spring term:

Mrs. William T. Phillips, No. 9 to No. 5,	\$1 50
Mrs. Isaac Crotto, No. 4 to No. 3,	79 00
Eli J. Faulkner, No. 10 to No. 3,	65 00
John C. Carter, No. 9 to No. 5,	46 40
Emma A. Danforth, Hubbard hill to No. 5,	55 25

\$247 15

Fall term:

Mrs. Isaac Crotto, No. 4 to No. 3,	\$60 00
John C. Carter, No. 9 to No. 5,	46 40
Emma A. Danforth, Hubbard hill to No. 5,	14 40
Walter B. Hart, Hubbard hill to No. 5,	38 25
Eli J. Faulkner, No. 10 to No. 3,	10 00
Charles Kalli, No. 4 to No. 3,	24 00

 \$193 05

Winter term:

Mrs. Isaac Crotto, No. 4 to No. 3,	\$50 00
John C. Carter, No. 9 to No. 5,	40 00
Emma A. Danforth, Hubbard hill to No. 5,	35 00
Abram White, No. 10 to No. 3,	70 00
Charles Kalli, No. 4 to No. 3,	17 60

 \$212 60

 SALARIES OF SCHOOL BOARD.

Frederick L. Barrett, 4 days,	\$8 00
Augusta L. Wellington, 12 days, 5 hours,	25 00
Lawrence B. Hatch, 10 days, 7½ hours,	21 50
William L. Robinson, 10 days, 2 hours,	20 40

 \$74 90

Appropriation,	\$75 00
Balance Feb. 15, 1912,	70

 \$75 70

Balance Feb. 15, 1913,	80
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 OTHER DISTRICT OFFICERS.

Charles F. Platts, treasurer,	\$25 00
Herbert E. Wetherbee, clerk,	2 00
Charles F. Platts, moderator,	2 00

 \$29 00

ENUMERATION.

Appropriation,	\$8 00
Balance Feb. 15, 1912,	2 50
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	\$10 50
George J. Maxwell,	7 50
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Balance Feb. 15, 1913,	\$3 00

HIGH SCHOOL TUITION.

Ralph A. J. Wellington, Cook's, 3 terms,	\$40 00
William Hogan, Murdock, 3 terms,	25 00
Edna Lloyd, Murdock, 3 terms,	25 00
Gwendolyn Taggart, Murdock, 3 terms,	25 00
Harold Sargent, Murdock, 3 terms,	25 00
George C. Hughgill, Murdock, 2 terms,	18 00
Donald McGregor, Murdock, 2 terms,	18 00
Bertha Stearns, Murdock, 2 terms,	18 00
Edna McGregor, Murdock, 1 term,	10 00
Bertha McGregor, Murdock, 2 terms,	18 00
Grace M. Hale, Conant, 1 term,	10 00
Grace M. Hale, Keene, 2 terms,	20 00
Ruth Fitzgerald, Conant, 3 terms,	30 00
Forrest Stearns, Peterboro, 2 terms,	20 00
R. Baldwin, Conant, 1 term,	10 00
Ralph Baldwin, Conant, 1 term,	10 00
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	\$322 00
Assessment,	\$300 00
Balance Feb. 15, 1912,	140 00
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	\$440 00
	322 00
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Balance Feb. 15, 1913,	\$118 00

FUEL.

School No. 3:

E. C. Jewell, 2 cords wood,	\$8 00
George C. Todd, 3 cords wood,	15 00
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	\$23 00

School No. 5:

George C. Todd, 7 cords wood,	\$35 00
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School No. 8:

V. H. Rice, 2 cords wood,	\$8 00
A. J. Wellington, 1 cord wood,	5 00
R. R. Converse, 3 cords wood,	15 00
A. J. Wellington, cutting and delivering 2 cords wood,	2 00
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	\$88 00

TEXT BOOKS AND SUPPLIES.

J. L. Hammett Co.,	\$19 53
Howard & Brown,	6 00
Milton Bradley & Co.,	26 34
Atkinson, Menzer & Co.,	3 24
American Book Co.,	70
Edward E. Babb & Co.,	79 88
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	\$135 69

Assessment,	\$125 00
Balance Feb. 15, 1912,	25 00
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	\$150 00
	135 69
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Balance Feb. 15, 1913,	\$14 31

REPAIRS.

School No. 8:	
W. L. Robinson, labor on door,	\$0 25
School No. 10:	
E. P. Baldwin, labor, paint and varnish,	25 35
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	\$25 60
Appropriation,	\$50 00
Balance Feb. 15, 1912,	41 04
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	\$91 04
	25 60
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Balance Feb. 15, 1913,	\$65 44

 FLAGS AND APPURTENANCES.

Flag ropes,	\$0 40
Work on flag poles,	1 00
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	\$1 40
Balance Feb. 15, 1912,	\$4 43
	1 40
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Balance Feb. 15, 1913,	\$3 03

 MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSES.

Mrs. Clarence Wilder, cleaning No. 8,	\$1 00
Mrs. J. A. Knight, cleaning No. 5,	3 00
Mrs. Watson, cleaning No. 10,	1 00
Frederick L. Barrett, postage, etc.,	50
Mrs. H. L. Wetherbee, water for No. 3,	1 30
Ned Thrasher, team for music teacher,	16 00
F. W. Hill, moving seats from No. 4 to No. 3,	1 50

Fred I. Stevens, cards, etc.,	\$1 09
R. E. Lane, order books and cards,	9 07
Waterman, Waterbury Co., heater for No. 8,	125 00
Ned Thrasher, carting stove, etc.,	3 50
Harold Rice, cleaning No. 8,	6 00
H. W. Fletcher, school utensils, etc.,	3 24
E. A. Fuller, school utensils, etc.,	1 40
F. A. Stratton, team for music teacher,	25 00
Frost's Stamp and Stationery Co., clean sweep,	1 50
Edward L. Leighton, repairs on two clocks,	2 00
Union Box & Lumber Co., carting stove, etc.,	50
Union Box & Lumber Co., axe helve and hanging,	35
W. H. Smith, damper,	25
F. H. Parker, curtains,	3 60
W. L. McDonald, telephoning, postage and ex- penses procuring teachers,	15 89
W. L. Robinson, transportation and expense on heater,	4 70
W. L. Robinson, moving desks from No. 7 to No. 8,	3 00
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	\$230 39

RECAPITULATION.

Teachers' salaries,	\$1,658 00
Supervisor,	311 20
Janitor service,	45 30
Transportation,	652 80
Salaries of school board,	74 90
Other district officers,	29 00
Enumeration,	7 50
Tuitions,	322 00
Fuel,	88 00
Books and supplies,	135 69
Repairs,	25 60

Flags,	\$1 40
Miscellaneous,	230 39
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	\$3,581 78

Respectfully submitted,
 AUGUSTA L. WELLINGTON,
 WILLIAM L. ROBINSON,
 School Board.

We have examined the above report and find the same correctly cast.

NED THRASHER,
 WALTER B. HART,
 Auditors.

Rindge, N. H., Feb. 15, 1913.

The school board recommend the district to raise and appropriate the following amounts for the coming year:

Salaries and expenses of school board,	\$100 00
Salary of the enumerator,	8 00
Salary of other district officers,	29 00
Salary of superintendent,	155 00
Amount for repairs,	100 00
Additional for schools,	837 50

TO BE ASSESSED BY THE SELECTMEN.

Amount required by law for schools,	\$1,762 50
Books and supplies,	125 00
High school tuitions,	350 00

HONOR ROLL FOR 1911-12.

Pupils not absent or tardy for entire year:—Ralph Hammond, Raymond Hammond, Hilda C. Kurvinen, Lydia M. Kurvinen.

Pupils not absent or tardy for two terms:—Thera Goddard, Bertha Stearns, Mabel E. Todd, Arthur W. Siddons, Frank Wilder, Harvey Wilder, Howard Burt, Geraldine D. Truman, Mildred I. Dunn, Marion C. Maxwell.

Pupils not absent or tardy for one term:—Ralph Barrett, Edgar Kendall, Lillian A. Hoyt, Roland C. Goddard, Reginald P. Siddons, Alfred B. Todd, Herman Stearns, Richard Stearns, Ruby Rice, Edwin Baldwin, Harold Blair, Clifton Knox, Eva Crotto, Ruth Winship, Marion Jowders, Leslie R. Barrett, Clyde W. Converse, Clifford H. Lyons, Elson H. Wilder.

*STATISTICAL TABLE.

SCHOOL.	NAME OF TEACHER.	Weeks of School.	No. of Pupils.	Average membership.	Percentage of attendance.	Tardinesses.	No. of pupils not absent or tardy.	No. visits by parents and others.	Teacher's wages per month.
SPRING TERM.									
No. 3.....	Alice Hayes	13	26	24	89	4	4	25	40
Primary ...	Helen E. Perley.....	13	20	18	94	3	7	62	40
Grammar..	Maude W. Frederick.....	13	10	10	93	34	2	25	40
No. 8.....	Ethel C. Robinson.....	13	22	21	94	0	4	52	40
FALL TERM.									
No. 3	Nellie O'Hare.....	12	32	24	95	9	5	10	44
No. 5.....	Jean Howie.....	12	24	22	98	9	13	43	44
	Herman H. Jones.....								60
No. 8.....	Bertha M. Wiggins.....	12	25	24	96	0	16	20	44
	Beatrice Wellington, Assistant...								9
No. 10.....	Florence Locke	11	8	7	94	0	2	11	40
WINTER TERM.									
No. 3.....	Nellie O'Hare.....	10	28	26	83	17	0	9	48
No. 5.....	Herman H. Jones.....	10	22	19	90	7	4	27	60
No. 8.....	Frank J. McAuliffe.....	10	24	24	92	8	6	19	44
	Beatrice Wellington, Assistant...								9

*For comparison, see 1912 School Report, page 29.

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS.

To the School Board of Rindge:

I herewith submit my first annual report, the ninth annual report of the superintendent of schools in Rindge.

The enrollment on February 1, 1913, by schools and by grades is as follows:

SCHOOLS.	GRADES.								Total	
	I	II	III	IV	V	VI	VII	VIII		
Number 3.....	3	3	2	2	6		3	7	26	*+5
Number 5.....			2	5	6	2	2	1	18	—9
Number 8.....	2	2	2	3		8		7	24	+4
Totals,.....	5	5	6	10	12	10	5	15	68	0

*Increase or decrease by schools over previous year.

The above table shows that the total membership of the Rindge schools is the same as one year ago. There are really twenty-two members in the Center school at present, but four of these are temporarily out for good reasons. It is a sense of gratification for school officials, and a commendable school spirit for the town, that so many scholars are carried up to the eighth grade. This year you will have fifteen grammar school graduates unless plans miscarry, and, better still, a good many of them announce their intention of keeping on into the high school.

The schools of Rindge have three distinct features as opposed to usual conditions in other towns: First, there is no high school; second, it is a border town on the Massachusetts line; and third, the schools are located in villages to which a great deal of transportation is necessary. I have considered the matter of centralization for grammar schools and perhaps a ninth grade to fit for Massachusetts high schools, with the Rindge

school board, but this is not feasible for several reasons. In times past, I am told, parents would not allow their children to go so far from home as a centralized grammar school would oblige them to do, claiming that it would be a hardship, and that they were more or less unrestrained in their long absences from home. Possibly this is a valid objection, but admitting that children might be transported to a centralized grammar school, there is another objection and a much more positive one. A town may not spend more than twenty-five per cent. of its school money for transportation purposes, legally. This difficulty, I think, would be hard to surmount.

I am in receipt of a recent letter from the state superintendent which says that the town can vote to pay the tuition in Murdock school, even in the preparatory or ninth grade. Now the schools of Rindge cannot hope to teach all the subjects which are required in this grade. A careful observer will notice that they have grades enough as it is. One solution of the matter, then, would be for the town to vote to pay for the preparatory or ninth grade steps which the schools of Rindge do not offer, and this would make it easier for the scholars to continue with their high school work.

It seemed best to the school board and superintendent to maintain but three schools since the membership in the West, East and Center Rindge schools was practically the same (see statistical table, fall term, under average membership); also to raise the teachers salaries so as to get Normal graduates, and seasoned teachers for the Rindge schools. In addition to these plans it was thought wise to procure assistants for the regular teachers at a small salary to take up the entire work of the three primary grades.

In two of the schools we were unable to find a suitable assistant at the price offered, but at East Rindge the plan has succeeded admirably. The children in the primary

grades there are the equals in scholarship of any that I have under my supervision in the four towns, barring none. There is no friction and little inconvenience arising from two teachers working in the same room. The children have their work clean cut for them, they are better graded than ever before, and enjoy school because of more individual attention. I wish we might extend this plan to other schools, but to do it we must have more student teachers.

Number 10 was opened eleven weeks of the fall term for two reasons: First, to save the long ride of children living in that district to Number 3; and second, to save transportation money. With the moving away of some of the children, it was plain that the school should be discontinued and the children transported to West Rindge. Most of the fixtures, the curtains, books, table, etc., were brought to Number 3, and are now in use in that school.

A new stove, similar in type to that recently installed at West Rindge, was set up in Number 8 last fall. This has fulfilled all expectations; it keeps the room warm and the temperature uniform. I regret that I am unable to turn in the agency fee, for the agency for this stove is in other hands than mine.

Your superintendent strongly advocates a school year of thirty-six weeks. This is the recognized standard in rural communities in New Hampshire. At the present writing, it looks as though this advance could be carried out this year, for there seems to be sufficient money already appropriated.

I was recently "respectfully requested" by eleven boys of the Center school, "that steps be taken to equip the school with tools, that the boys might take up manual training." There is plenty of room for benches, lumber and tools in the second story, and I urge that the citizens give the plan serious thought at their school meeting. It is getting to be a common thing for one-room schools to

be equipped with tools and the boys taught to saw a board, use a plane, drive a nail, as well as to make simple things, as a breadboard, a shelf and a towel roller. No additional expense need be entailed from the teaching side, for the regular teacher, if he be a Normal graduate, or the drawing teacher, could instruct. Probably \$50 would cover all expense for tools and benches to start.

In addition, I urge the following improvements for the coming year:

Repairs on the steps and out-buildings of the Rindge Center schoolhouse.

Painting the inside of Number 8.

The purchase of about \$25 worth of slate blackboards for the Center school, which would make the slate blackboard equipment uniform in the three schoolhouses.

Every school building in town should have five or six adjustable seats for children of the first three grades. This would do away with the "chalk box" method of making their feet touch something solid.

Permit me to express my appreciation of the helpful attitude of the school board, teachers, scholars, and parents, as I helped to administer the affairs of the schools.

Cordially yours,

WM. L. MACDONALD,

Superintendent of Schools.

East Jaffrey, N. H., Feb. 1, 1913.

REPORT OF SUPERVISOR OF DRAWING.

To Superintendent Wm. L. MacDonald:

The report in drawing for the school year beginning September, 1912 is as follows:

The work began with a study of the autumn flowers

and foliage, and was followed in late October and November by the study of seed pods, vegetables, fruits and drawings suited to the Thanksgiving season. In West Rindge, small posters were made for the Thanksgiving exercises. Between Thanksgiving and Christmas printing, raffia and brass work held the interest.

The work for the remainder of the year will consist of paper cutting and folding, drawing and cutting of toys, composition, design, pose and still life, and a study of the spring flowers.

The work has been done with a great amount of care, pride and enthusiasm by the pupils.

Water colors have been furnished for the upper grades, and have been thoroughly enjoyed by them. Crayon, pencil, charcoal and scissors have been the medium of expression.

Here again I wish to thank the teachers for their care and work, and the committee and superintendent for their kindness in providing the supplies.

Respectfully submitted,

A. JEAN BROWN,

Supervisor of Drawing.

REPORT OF SUPERVISOR OF MUSIC.

To Superintendent Wm. L. MacDonald:

I hereby submit the report in music for the year beginning September, 1912:

The books in use in all the schools are the Educational Music series. Two new books of the Modern Music series have been provided where the material in other books has been finished. Individual work has been provided from a sight singing book. Much more of this work is to be done.

Outlines giving the amount of work to be done in each grade have been furnished for each teacher.

There have been two classes in all the schools; one, the primary grades; the other, the grammar grades.

In the primary grades much individual work is the principal feature, the object being to have each pupil able to keep the tune and read in all the keys. The upper grades are doing two and three part work. Ear training and written work are features of work in all grades, but more especially of the upper. The music period is divided into scale work, ear training, the prepared lesson and sight reading.

The following is a brief summary of the principles taught in each grade:

Grade I.—Tune: Major scale, staff reading. Time: First time motion.

Grade II. Tune: Pitch names of lines and spaces. Time: Second time motion.

Grade III.—Tune: Finding "Do" from key signature. Time: Third time motion.

Grade IV.—Tune: Names of keys, first steps in chromatics.

Grade V.—Tune: Second step in chromatics. Time: Arithmetic in music; theory of common time.

Grade VI.—Tune: Position of sharps and flats in signature; use of all chromatic characters in writing. Time: Fourth time motion, fifth time motion, theory of compound time, sixth time motion, seventh time motion, syn-copation.

Grades VII and VIII.—Tune: Bass clef, word reading, biography.

I wish to thank the superintendent, the school committee and the teachers for their interest in the work.

Respectfully submitted,

A. JEAN BROWN,

Supervisor of Music.

REPORT OF SCHOOL DISTRICT TREASURER,

For the Year Ending February 15, 1913.

RECEIPTS.

Cash in treasury, Feb. 15, 1912,	\$214 45
Town appropriation, including literary fund and dog licenses,	3,488 71
State school fund, on account superintendent,	155 00
Supplies sold by Supt. MacDonald,	90
Town of Ashburnham, on account with Finn chil- dren,	17 50
Stove sold by school board,	5 00
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	\$3,881 56

DISBURSEMENTS.

Paid on 142 orders drawn by school board,	\$3,581 78
Balance in treasury Feb. 15, 1913,	299 78
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	\$3,881 56

Respectfully submitted,

CHAS. F. PLATTS,
School District Treasurer.

We have examined the above report and find the same
correctly cast.

NED THRASHER,
WALTER B. HART,
Auditors.

Rindge, N. H., Feb. 15, 1913.

THE INGALLS MEMORIAL LIBRARY.

Fitchburg, Mass., February 12, 1913.

Herbert I. Wallace, Treasurer,

In account with Ingalls Memorial Library.

RECEIPTS.

1912.		
Feb. 15.	Cash on hand,	\$68 37
Apr. 15.	Dividend Fitchburg Gas & Elec. Light Co.,	12 50
June 18.	Received sale of rights Fitchburg Gas & Elec. Light Co.,	95 00
July 9.	Appropriation from town of Rindge,	300 00
July 9.	Interest on town note,	50 00
July 15.	Dividend Fitchburg Gas & Elec. Light Co.,	12 50
Oct. 15.	Dividend Fitchburg Gas & Elec. Light Co.,	12 50
1913.		
Jan. 3.	Dividend Fitchburg Savings Bank,	37 80
Jan. 3.	Dividend Worcester North Savings Inst.,	40 40
Jan. 15.	Dividend Fitchburg Gas & Elec. Light Co.,	12 50
		\$641 57

EXPENDITURES.

1912.		
Mar. 28.	Ella M. Brigham, salary and trans- portation of books,	\$31 00
Mar. 28.	F. L. Barrett, salary,	25 00
Apr. 8.	W. B. Clark Co., magazines,	10 50
July 3.	Fitchburg Savings Bank, deposit,	95 00

July 13.	Ella M. Brigham, salary and transportation,	30 00
July 13.	F. L. Barrett, salary,	25 00
July 13.	W. B. Clark Co., magazines,	1 50
July 13.	U. Holzer, binding books,	24 00
July 13.	Sentinel Printing Co., 500 supplements,	60 00
Sept. 11.	Chas. W Fletcher, coal,	42 21
Sept. 11.	George C. Todd, hauling wood and coal,	16 00
Sept. 16.	Ella M. Brigham, current expenses,	10 00
Oct. 14.	Ella M. Brigham, salary,	25 00
Oct. 14.	F. L. Barrett, salary,	25 00
Oct. 14.	Chas. E. Lauriat Company, books,	72 73
Dec. 4.	W. B. Clark Co. magazine, World's Work,	3 00
Dec. 4.	Popular Electricity Pub. Co., magazine, "Popular Electricity," two years,	2 50
Dec. 21.	Sentinel Printing Co., 200 supplements,	10 00
Dec. 21.	Ella M. Brigham, exp. transportation of books,	5 00
1913.		
Jan. 3.	Ella M. Brigham, salary,	25 00
Jan. 3.	F. L. Barrett, salary,	25 00
Jan. 6.	E. A. Fuller, oil,	7 27
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		\$570 71
Balance Feb. 12, 1913,		\$70 86

Respectfully submitted,

HERBERT N. WALLACE,

Treasurer.

REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES

For the Year Ending December 31, 1912.

I beg to present the following report of the treasurer for the past year. Nothing of special moment has occurred; there have been no changes in the museum; the circulation of books continues to be excellent, and thanks to the kindness of Miss Converse, the distribution at East Rindge has been more satisfactory than of late years.

I feel also that the thanks of the trustees and the town are due to the librarian and janitor, whose constant and faithful care for so many years have been a great factor in the successful development of the Ingalls Memorial Library.

Notwithstanding the surplus in the treasury, I must ask for an appropriation of three hundred dollars, as usual, in addition to the town vote and taxes, as there will be some necessary repairs this year, and new books to be added, as always. Owing to the resignation of the chairman and treasurer of our board, this report must be sent in with the signature of the secretary, the only remaining member.

MARY LEE WARE,
Secretary.

REPORT OF THE LIBRARIAN

For the year ending December 31, 1912.

Nearly one hundred books were added to our library during the year, including gifts from Miss Ware, Mrs. Grace Storer, and Mrs. Nellie Hoyt.

Magazines have been loaned or given for the reading room by Mrs. Sarah Rogers and Miss Ida Todd and by summer visitors in town, who appreciate the advantages of our library. Mr. Hilliard has given *THE ADVANCE*, a paper containing a good deal of information upon topics of general interest.

I have been a little more liberal in my management of the library than formerly, and have had valuable help in the circulation of books in East Rindge from Miss Cornelia Converse, consequently the circulation has been somewhat more than is shown by the table.

Following is the table of circulation for 1912:

	Books	Daily Average	West Rindge Library	Juvenile Books	Unbound Magazines
January,	216	24	9	61	45 Nos.
February,	223	28	6	75	23 "
March,	279	31	19	110	33 "
April,	259	32	13	80	25 "
May,	293	33	13	124	29 "
June,	290	32	28	73	24 "
July,	331	37	30	106	30 "
August,	283	31	22	78	32 "
September,	244	31	14	77	25 "
October,	201	22	14	59	30 "
November,	245	27	11	93	40 "
December,	212	30	14	86	46 "
Totals,	3,076		193	1,022	382

The different classes stand as follows:

Fiction, 2,419; History, 96; Travels, 74; Biography, 44; Natural Science, 134; Poetry, 57; Useful Arts, 53; Fine Arts, 52; Miscellaneous, 147.

Largest daily circulation 52, given out on August 7.

Respectfully submitted,

ELLA M. BRIGHAM,

Librarian.

REPORT OF
WEST RINDGE BRANCH LIBRARY,

For the Year Ending December 31, 1912.

Whole number of books circulated, fourteen hundred and twenty-five. Of this number, one hundred and sixty-five were from the Ingalls library and circulated through the Branch library. Seventy-one were sent from the Branch library to the Ingalls library for circulation.

Whole number of cards issued to Dec. 31, 1912, five hundred and nineteen. Thirty-three new names were added to the list of patrons during the year.

The different classes stand as follows: Fiction, 1085. Poetry, 38. Biography, 13. Modern History, 48. Travels, 53. Literature, 16. Useful Arts, 38. Fine Arts, 26. Natural Science, 29. Sociology, 43. Philology, 24. Miscellaneous, 12. Juvenile, 338.

Again we are pleased to report that ninety-one new books have been added to the library during the year.

Of this number, a beautiful "Photographic History of the Civil War," consisting of 10 volumes, which are both very entertaining and instructive, and was given through the kindness of Mr. J. Henry Locke; the remainder were added by Miss Ware, with the exception of a few, which were given by publishers.

Respectfully submitted,

M. LIZZIE WETHERBEE,

Librarian.

VITAL STATISTICS.

To the Selectmen:

In compliance with an act of the legislature, passed June session, 1897, amended by the legislature of 1899, requiring "clerks of towns and cities to furnish a transcript of the record of births, marriages and deaths to the municipal officers for publication in the Annual Report," I hereby submit the following:

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF RINDGE, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1912.

Date of Birth.	Name of Child (if any).	Sex and Condition.		Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.	Occupation of Father.	Birthplace of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.	Age of Father.	Age of Mother.
		Male or Female.	Living or Stillborn.							
Jan. 18	Lawrence Whitney	M	L	Herbert W. Popple	Nellie Whitney	Teamster	Rindge	Conway, Ms.	29	29
Jan. 21	Elwin Powdelle	M	L	LeForest May	Ella Horton	Teamster	Dublin	Union, Ct.	24	21
Mar. 7	Wellington Carey	M	L	Benj. P. S. Prescott	Lottie May Carey	Supt. p'ltry farm	Rindge	Billtown, N. S.	21	21
Apr. 8	Marshall Samuel	M	L	Marcus M. Danforth	Anna Comeau	Farmer	Rindge	W. Newton, Ms.	31	33
Apr. 16	Nelson Lee	M	L	Frank G. Thomas	Bertha E. Wood	Teamster	W. Roylston, Ms.	Mendon, Vt.	28	24
May 10	May Estela	F	L	John B. Crosby	Truza Troccoli	Farmer	Rindge	Italy	32	27
June 11	John Benton	M	L	Harris Hale Rice	Amy Bell Taggart	Farmer	Rindge	Rindge	31	30
July 6	Wallace Perley	M	L	Perley Amos Jones	Jessie L. Sargent	Farmer	Rindge	Rindge	33	26
July 30	May G.	F	L	Ray E. Chesley	Mildred A. Rees	Fireman	Sheffield, Vt.	Winchendon, Ms.	28	17
Oct. 24		M	S	Guy Pierce	Bula Gordon	Laborer	Winchendon, Ms.	Keene	26	21
Dec. 8		M	L	Charles W. Fletcher	Adelaide Hoyt	Station agent	Rindge	Jamaica Plain, Ms	33	22

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF RINDGE, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1912.

Date of Marriage	Place of Marriage.	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride.	Residence of each at time of Marriage.	Age in years.	Occupation of Groom and Bride.	Place of Birth of each.	Names of Parents.	Birthplace of Parents.	Condition.	Name, Residence and Official Station of person by whom married.
June 12	East Jaffrey	Jeremiah M. Wakem	N. Y. City	29	Designer	Greenfield, N. B.	Rob't K. Wakem	Greenfield, N. B.	1st	Rev. C. Dubi Nashua
		Emily J. Fitzgerald	Rindge	26	Watch f'yem.	Winchendon M	Mary Raymond Henry Fitzgerald	Greenfield, N. B.	1st	
Aug. 31	East Rindge	Richard B. Lyon	Fitchburg Ms	43	Real estate	Brooklyn, N. Y.	Mary A. Hamill Sharon William R. Lyon	Tarrytown, N. Y.	1st	Rv G. H. Thomas Fitchburg, Ms.
		Alice G. Wellington	Rindge	22		Rindge	Mary B. Crocker Art'r Wellington Susan B. Lloyd	Fitchburg, Ms. Rindge Springfield, Ms.	1st	

DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF RINDGE, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1912.

Date of Death.	Name and Surname of the Deceased.	Age.		Place of Birth.	Sex and Condition	Place of Birth.		Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.
		Years.	Months. Days.			Father.	Mother.		
Mar. 27	Mary C. Whitcomb	64	3	27 Nova Scotia	F	Nova Scotia	Nova Scotia	Benjamin Hubley	Sarah Lohnér
June 26	Charles E. Keyes	83	7	16 Rindge	M	Northboro, Ms.	Berlin, Ms.	Amos Keyes	Ennice Spofford
July 18	Marg'et M. Robbins	13	1	10 Rindge	F	Jamaica Plain Ms	Cambridge, Ms.	Gardner F. Robbins	Emma L. Wood
Aug. 1	Homer E. Goodridge	68	9	29 Lowell, Vt.	M	Lowell, Vt.		Theodore Goodridge	Betsy Webster
Aug. 24	Amos Hilliard	74	6	14 Magalloway, Me.	M	Stewartstown	Rumford, Me.	Benjamin Hilliard	Cynthia Hibbard
Aug. 31	Samuel Jones	86	2	7 Jaffrey	M	Rindge	Jaffrey	Asia Jones	Rachel Saunders
Sept. 1	Edward Thompson	63		Rindge	M	Fitzwilliam	Jamaica Plain Ms	Guy M. Pierce	Beulah M. Gordon
Oct. 23	— Pierce			Rindge	M	Rindge		Charles W. Fletcher	Adelaide Hoyt
Dec. 8	— Fletcher				M				

*Single, married or widowed.

I hereby certify that the foregoing transcript of births, marriages and deaths is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

WARREN W. EMERY,
Town Clerk.

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE.

To the inhabitants of the town of Rindge, in the county of Cheshire, in said state, qualified to vote in town affairs.

You are hereby notified to meet at the town hall, in said Rindge, on Tuesday, the eleventh day of March next, at nine of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1.—To choose all necessary town officers for the year ensuing.

2.—To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year, and make appropriation of the same.

3.—To hear and act upon the reports of the selectmen, overseer of the poor, town treasurer, and the reports of all agents, committees and officers heretofore chosen, and act in any way relating thereto.

4.—To raise a sum of money to be expended on the highways and bridges.

5.—To see what method the town will adopt to collect the taxes.

6.—To raise and appropriate a sum of money for expenses Memorial Day.

7.—To see if the town will raise and appropriate a sum of money for the Ingalls Memorial Library.

8.—To see if the town will vote to accept state aid on its highways, or act in any way relating thereto.

9.—To see what action the town will take regarding the care and improvement of its cemeteries, and raise or appropriate money for the same.

10.—To see if the town will vote to publish the history of Rindge, by Hon. Ezra S. Stearns, choose a committee to make all necessary arrangements for the publication and sale of said history, or act in any manner in relation thereto.

11.—To see if the town will vote to instruct the selectmen to erect and maintain suitable warning signs at intersecting highways and dangerous curves on the highways in said town, and to make such rules and regulations as may be necessary to restrict and regulate the speed of all motor vehicles in the compact part of the villages in said town, or act in any manner in relation thereto.

12.—To see if the town will vote to raise or appropriate a sum of money equal in amount to any sum donated, for the purpose of grading and beautifying that part of Rindge common now enclosed by fence, or act in any manner in relation thereto.

13.—To see if the town will vote to refund the tax assessed on the Mary L. Ware park, at West Rindge, for the year 1912, or act in any manner in relation thereto.

14.—To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the expense of putting in a culvert in the Beaver Dam road, so called, near the Farrar farm, or act in any way relating thereto.

15.—To see if the town will vote to instruct the selectmen to put the clock on the town hall and church in good order, and if necessary enclose the dials in glass to protect from sleet and rain.

16.—To allow bills of charge.

Given under our hands and seal this twenty-fourth day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and thirteen.

CHARLES F. PLATTS,
HARRIS H. RICE,
ALBERT L. HALL,

Selectmen of Riudge.

A true copy of warrant—attest:

CHARLES F. PLATTS,
HARRIS H. RICE,
ALBERT L. HALE,

Selectmen of Rindge.

New Hampshire State Library



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